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SUBJECT: U.S.-PERUVIAN INVESTMENT DISCUSSIONS

1. FOLLOWING PRESS RELEASE WAS ISSUED 5 P.M. EDT THURSDAY,
AUGUST 9, BOTH WASHINGTON AND LIMA:

BEGIN RELEASE - AT THE INITIATIVE OF THE GOVERNMENT OF
THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, THE REVOLUTIONARY GOVERNMENT
OF THE ARMED FORCES OF PERU HAS AGREED TO HOLD CONVERSA-
TIONS WITH THE OBJECTIVE OF CONSIDERING CERTAIN ASPECTS
OF SOME UNITED STATES INVESTMENTS. FOR THIS PURPOSE,
PRESIDENT NIXON HAS DESIGNATED MR. JAMES R. GREENE AS
HIS SPECIAL EMISSARY.

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IT HAS BEEN CLEARLY ESTABLISHED BY THE GOVERNMENT OF PERU

THAT THE IPC CASE WILL NOT FOR ANY REASON BE A SUBJECT OF SAID CONVERSATIONS INASMUCH AS THIS IS A MATTER WHICH HAS BEEN DEFINITIVELY RESOLVED. THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES RECOGNIZES THAT THIS IS THE POSITION OF THE REVOLUTIONARY GOVERNMENT.

THE CONVERSATIONS WILL OBSERVE THE MOST COMPLETE RESPECT FOR THE AUTONOMOUS AND SOVEREIGN DECISIONS OF BOTH GOVERNMENTS AS WELL AS FOR THE PROFOUND TRANSFORMATIONS BEING CARRIED OUT BY THE REVOLUTIONARY GOVERNMENT OF THE ARMED FORCES OF PERU.

THE TWO GOVERNMENTS AGREE THAT THE CONVERSATIONS WILL CONTRIBUTE TO THE IMPROVEMENT OF THEIR RELATIONS, MAKING THEM MORE CORDIAL AND CONSTRUCTIVE. END RELEASE.

2. FOLLOWING BIOGRAPHICS ALSO PROVIDED: MR. JAMES R. GREENE, WHO ENJOYS THE CONFIDENCE OF PRESIDENT NIXON AS WELL AS THAT OF THE PERUVIAN GOVERNMENT AND THE AMERICAN BUSINESS COMMUNITY IN PERU, IS SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT AND DEPUTY GENERAL MANAGER OF THE MANUFACTURERS HANOVER TRUST COMPANY. AN OFFICER WITH THE U.S. NAVAL RESERVE IN THE PACIFIC THEATER DURING WORLD WAR II AS WELL AS A FORMER COLLEGE INSTRUCTOR AND U.S. FOREIGN SERVICE OFFICER, MR. GREENE JOINED THE THEN HANOVER BANK IN 1955. HE IS A DIRECTOR OF VARIOUS COMPANIES, A MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL ON FOREIGN RELATIONS AND IMMEDIATE PAST PRESIDENT OF THE BANKERS' ASSOCIATION FOR FOREIGN TRADE.

3. COMMENT: MISSIONS SHOULD REFRAIN FROM ANY OBSERVATIONS OR EXPLANATIONS.

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